

WHEREAS, Trees and forests play a significant role in the lives of the citizens of the United States now and for generations to come; and,

WHEREAS, Benefits are provided by these resources to South Dakotans in every area of the state, including timber in the Black Hills, shelterbelts and windbreaks on our plains, and the comfort and beauty of the community forests in our cities and towns; and,

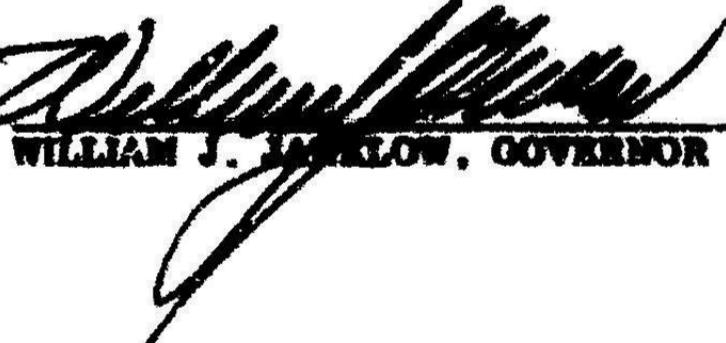
WHEREAS, The continuance of these resources and benefits are possible only through active programs in shelterbelt establishment, replacement and renovation, community tree planting and care, and sound forest management:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim April 27, 1979, as

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in South Dakota, and urge all South Dakotans to recognize and appreciate the importance of trees and forests to South Dakota and the nation to enthusiastically manage our existing resources for a never-ending yield of all benefits, and on this day to plant a tree for South Dakota's future.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twentieth Day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Nine


WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:


ALICE KUNDER, SECRETARY OF STATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE MICROFILMING IMAGE APPEARING ON THIS SLICE OF MICROFILM IS AN ACCURATE REDUCTION OF THE ORIGINAL RECORD AND WAS MICROFILMED IN THE RECOMMENDED COURSE OF BUSINESS ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS OF SOUTH DAKOTA CAPTION 12-17. IT IS FURTHER CERTIFIED THAT THE MICROFILMING PROCESS USED FOR MICROFILMING OF THE ABOVE RECORD ARE IN A MANNER WHICH MEET THE RECOMMENDED REQUIREMENTS OF THE NATIONAL RECOMMENDATION FOR PREFERRED MICROFILMING PRACTICES. REDUCTION 1/25. REEL NO. 2. DATE MICROFILED 4/27/79. CUSTODIAN ALICE KUNDER